

TENNESSEE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING ACADEMY 2009 CALENDAR OF SCHOOLS

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(More Classes will be added in the Future)

NOTE: APPLICANTS MUST BE FULL-TIME LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS



BEGINNING JULY 1, 2009, TLETA WILL ONLY ACCEPT CHECKS FOR TUITION PAYMENTS

OCTOBER

Basic Police School

Instructors: TLETA

The Basic Police School is the mainstay of the Tennessee Law Enforcement Training Academy. Our mission is to produce a physically fit, highly motivated, basically trained police officer thoroughly indoctrinated in the ethics and professional standards of the law enforcement profession. The officer will have a degree of both technical and tactical proficiency to function on the streets as well as in the criminal and civil courts of our state. **Orientation day for this basic class is October 2nd at 1300 hours. Attendance is mandatory.**

OCTOBER 11 – DECEMBER 18 • 425 HOURS

COST: STATE OFFICERS \$2,500 • COUNTY & LOCAL OFFICERS \$2,000

CRIMINAL JUSTICE MAJORS \$6,000

PRIVATE & OUT-OF-STATE AGENCIES: \$600 PER WEEK / \$6,000 BASIC POLICE SCHOOL

Firearms Instructor

Instructors: Erwin, Michael

This is an intensive performance-oriented course. Officers must bring their own ammunition for this course which includes the following: 1000 rounds of handgun ammunition, 75 rounds of 12-gauge (#7, #8, or #9 shot), and 400 rounds of carbine ammunition. Officers must bring a shotgun and a carbine (i.e. AR-15, M-4, etc.). Officers must fire a 90% with a pistol to successfully complete the program. It is mandatory that officers have Instructor Development before enrolling in this school and a copy of that certificate must accompany their application.

Class size is limited to 24 officers. Registration is through TLETA. Contact Linda Spears (linda.spears@tn.gov) at (615) 741-4448.

OCTOBER 19 – OCTOBER 23 • 40 HOURS

COST: STATE OFFICERS \$250 • COUNTY & LOCAL OFFICERS \$200

Emergency Vehicle Operations Instructor

Instructors: Roberts

This 40-hour program will address the issues of Emergency Vehicle Operations in law enforcement. The class will concentrate on vehicle dynamics, liability, and pursuit management of emergency and non-emergency vehicles. The EVO Instructor program is divided into two one-week sections: Week 1 – developing techniques and skills needed for emergency and non-emergency vehicle operations and Week 2 – teaching these skills to new recruits. Each officer attending will be required to pass the precision EVO course in a specified time. Each officer will also be required to return and teach one block of classroom instruction and one block of practical range instruction to complete certification. (The second week required will be scheduled with each individual officer during the initial training session). **A minimum of five (5) years law enforcement experience and completion of the Instructor Development Program are required of the officers who enroll in this course.**

Registration is through TLETA. Contact Linda Spears (linda.spears@tn.gov) (615) 741-4448. **Maximum number of students is 20.**

OCTOBER 19 – OCTOBER 23 • 40 HOURS

COST: STATE OFFICERS \$250 • COUNTY & LOCAL OFFICERS \$200

Statement Analysis (Rutherford Co. SO)

Instructor: Hall

This 24-hour school is for the criminal investigator who wishes to expand his/her techniques in the field of interview and interrogation. Each student will learn to analyze written statements for signs of veracity and deception. This is a hands-on class which will require homework assignments. The following areas of statement analysis will be covered:

- History and Theory
- Documentation of Statements
- Balance of a Statement
- Test of Veracity
- Analysis of Nouns
- Analysis of Pronouns
- Analysis of Adjectives
- Analysis of Adverbs
- Analysis of Verbs
- Unique Words and Phrases

Students are encouraged to bring statements from active or previous investigations for analysis. **Class size is limited to 20 students.** The class will be held at 325 John Rice Blvd., Murfreesboro, TN. For lodging and directions, contact Captain Steve Spence at (615) 210-5899. Registration is through TLETA. Contact Linda Spears (linda.spears@tn.gov) at (615) 741-4448.

OCTOBER 20 – OCTOBER 22 • 24 HOURS

COST: STATE OFFICERS \$75 • COUNTY & LOCAL OFFICERS \$60

Courtroom Security

Instructors: Grisham, Farris, Kubic

This course is designed to train the following personnel on courtroom security: judges, sheriffs, county administrator, county executives, county commissioners, district attorneys, bailiffs, clerks and other law enforcement personnel assigned to courthouse and courtroom security. This 40-hour course will provide training in various areas to include Nature of Court Security Threats, Legal Issues in Court Security, Security Planning Procedures and Architectural Considerations, High Risk Trials, Weapons and Bombs, Protection of Personnel at Risk, Sequestered Juries and Public Information and Media, Defensive Tactics, Weapon Retention and Scenario Based Training.

This course will satisfy the statutory mandated 40-hour basic training for all newly appointed court officers (after July 1, 2007). A block of CSA and EVO will be included as well. Officers will be required to bring a duty belt, tennis shoes and groin protection.

The school will be held at the Tennessee Law Enforcement Training Academy. Point of contact for this course is Ray Farris at TLETA (615) 741-4448. Registration is through TLETA, Linda Spears (linda.spears@tn.gov) (615) 741-4448. Maximum class size is 50 students.

OCTOBER 26 – OCTOBER 30 • 40 HOURS
COST: STATE OFFICERS \$250 • COUNTY & LOCAL OFFICERS \$200

P.P.C.T. Defensive Tactics Instructor Recertification

Instructor: Wills

PPCT Defensive Tactics Instructors who need to re-certify may attend this course. Proof of current certification must be submitted along with the Application for Specialized Training. Any PPCT Instructor whose certification has expired must repeat the 40-hour PPCT Defensive Tactics Instructor School and will not be eligible to attend this course. Course cost includes a copy of the most current PPCT Instructor Manual. **NOTE: This will be the last Recertification course offered for the calendar year 2009.**

To register, contact Ms. Linda Spears, at (615) 741-4448, or e-mail her at (linda.spears@tn.gov). **Maximum number of students is 12.**

OCTOBER 27 – OCTOBER 29 • 24 HOURS
COST: STATE OFFICERS \$185 • COUNTY & LOCAL OFFICERS \$155

NOVEMBER

P.O.S.T. Rules Workshop (Bartlett PD)

Instructor: Murphy

This six-hour program is designed for all department training officers. All chiefs, sheriffs and anyone who has responsibility of submitting paper work to P.O.S.T. are encouraged to attend. During this six-hour block all new changes that went into effect in 2007 will be discussed. Each chapter will be discussed and the new changes to that chapter will be highlighted. We will also explain all the forms and how to submit them to P.O.S.T. Certified officers who attend will receive a P.O.S.T. certificate and can apply the six hours toward in-service. **P.O.S.T. Rules 1110-4-.03 requires all General Department Instructors to attend this class annually.**

Due to budgetary restraints, we ask that you bring a copy of your P.O.S.T. Rules book with you to this workshop. Copies of the P.O.S.T. rules can be found at the following website: <http://state.tn.us/sos/rules/index.htm>

The school will be held at the Bartlett Police Department/TWRA Firing Range located at 3200 Brother Blvd. in Bartlett, TN. Point of contact at Bartlett PD for directions or lodging is Inspector Dennis Cannon. He may be reached at (Cell) 901-734-6202. All personnel will register for this class through Ms. Linda Spears (linda.spears@tn.gov) at (615) 741-4448. Maximum number of students is 40. **Class begins at 8:00 A.M.**

NOVEMBER 03 • 6 HOURS

COST: STATE OFFICERS \$30 • COUNTY & LOCAL OFFICERS \$20

Patrol & Officer Survival Tactics

Instructor: Kubic

This 32-hour block of instruction is intended for the officer that is currently assigned to a patrol division. Officers should come prepared for a classroom as well as a practical exercise course of instruction. Subjects taught will include: High Risk Call Response; Traffic Stops Procedures (high risk and unknown); Building Searches and Room Clearing; Defensive Tactics; Advanced Firearms Training; Survival Mindset and the Effects of Survival Stress on an Officer During High Risk Operations. Officers should bring their gun belt as well as clothing suitable for physical exertion to include a protective cup and mouthpiece. Officers should also bring 500 rounds of duty ammunition. Registration is through TLETA, Linda Spears (linda.spears@tn.gov) (615) 741-4448. **Maximum class size is 20 officers.**

NOVEMBER 10 – NOVEMBER 13 • 32 HOURS

COST: STATE OFFICERS \$200 • COUNTY & LOCAL OFFICERS \$160

Internal Affairs School

Instructors: Grisham, Farris

This course is designed for investigators with at least part-time responsibility for conducting intra-departmental investigations. This 32-hour class will examine the steps necessary to carry out an investigation of an internal administrative matter and/or criminal case involving an employee of a law enforcement agency. This school will cover such topics as ethics, many areas of legal instruction, interview and interrogation, employment and administrative law and issues surrounding electronic recording and surveillance. This school will be held at TLETA. Contact person is Ms. Linda Spears (linda.spears@tn.gov) at (615) 741-4448.

NOVEMBER 16 – NOVEMBER 19 • 32 HOURS

COST: STATE OFFICERS \$200 • COUNTY & LOCAL OFFICERS \$160

DECEMBER

P.O.S.T. Rules Workshop (Knoxville PD)

Instructors: Welch

This six-hour program is designed for all department training officers. All chiefs, sheriffs and anyone who has responsibility of submitting paper work to P.O.S.T. are encouraged to attend. During this six-hour block all new changes that went into effect in 2007 will be discussed. Each chapter will be discussed and the new changes to that chapter will be highlighted. We will also explain all the forms and how to submit them to P.O.S.T. Certified officers who attend will receive a P.O.S.T. certificate and can apply the six hours toward in-service. **P.O.S.T. Rules 1110-4-.03 requires all General Department Instructors to attend this class annually.**

The school will be held at the Knoxville Police Department Training Academy located at 220 Carrick Street, Knoxville, TN. Contact person there is Jeff Stiles, Training Director (865) 215-1301. Point of contact for this course is Johnny Welch (615) 741-4461. All personnel will register for this class through Ms. Linda Spears (linda.spears@state.tn.us) at (615) 741-4448. **If you register for this class and fail to attend, your department will be billed for this slot.**

Due to budgetary restraints, we ask that you bring a copy of your P.O.S.T. Rules book with you to this workshop. Copies of the P.O.S.T. rules can be found at the following website: <http://state.tn.us/sos/rules/index.html>

DECEMBER 17 • 6 HOURS

COST: STATE OFFICERS \$30 • COUNTY & LOCAL OFFICERS \$20